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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 27, 2009, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group II, Claims 7 and 15 (drawn to a first method of making a carbon nontube dispersed composite material), for examination.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.